

# Report to the Auburn City Council

Action Item
Agenda Item No.

City Mariager Approval

To:

Mayor and City Council Members

From:

Jack Warren, Director of Public Works/City Engineer

Bernie Schroeder, Engineering Division Manager

Date:

April 13, 2009

Subject:

Placer County Wise Road Bridge Replacement - Highway Easement

#### The Issue

Shall the City proceed with offering the right-of-way to Placer County for the Placer County Wise Road Bridge Replacement Project?

#### Conclusions and Recommendation

Staff recommends that City Council by **RESOULTION** authorize the Director of Public Works to execute the highway easement with Placer County for the Wise Road Bridge.

#### **Background**

Placer County Department of Public Works has completed environmental review on the Wise Road Bridge Project. The Wise Road Bridge Replacement Project involves realigning Wise Road and building a new bridge over an Auburn Ravine tributary. The road realignment and bridge replacement is partially on City owned property located off Wise Road. Placer County needs 0.648 acres from APN 040-111-048 to continue with the Wise Road Bridge Project. The City will receive \$64,800 in exchange for the easement.

# Alternatives Available to Council; Implications of Alternatives

- 1. Authorize the Right of Way Agreement.
- 2. Take no action.

#### Fiscal Impact

The City will receive \$64,800 from Placer County. The City of Auburn purchased the property in 1964 with proceeds from a general obligation bond. Staff recommends the proceeds from the sale of the property be placed in a discretionary fund. The final determination will come from the City Attorney.

Attachments: Wise Road Highway Easement

Project Name

Wise Road Bridge

APN 040-111-048

When recorded return to.
Placer County Department
of Public Works

**COUNTY OF PLACER** 

**Department of Public Works** 

# **HIGHWAY EASEMENT**

Space above for Recorder

For the receipt of one dollar (\$1.00) or other good and valuable consideration,

#### CITY OF AUBURN, A MUNICIPAL CORPORATION

the undersigned GRANTOR(S), HEREBY GRANTS TO THE COUNTY OF PLACER, a political subdivision of the State of California, an easement for road purposes and incidentals thereto, including utility rights, over, on, under and across all that real property situated in the County of Placer, State of California, bounded and described as follows:

(Any and all interest in the property conveyed by grantor to the County of Placer pursuant to this instrument runs with the land and is binding on the heirs, assigns and successors of the grantor.)

See Attached Exhibit "A" or Legal Description

See reverse side for acknowledgment

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# **ACKNOWLEDGMENT**

State of California		
County of Placer		
On before me,	Here Insert Name and Title of the Officer	
personally appeared	Here insert Name and Title of the Officer	
personally appeared	Name(s) of Signer(s)	
	who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.	
	I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing paragraph is true and correct.	
	WITNESS my hand and official seal.	
	Signature	
Place Notary Seal Above	Signature of Notary Public	
ACCEPTANCE (1): BY AUTHORIZED AGENT:		
This is to certify that the interest in real property conveyed by	y the deed or grant deed dated, 20, from	
of the County of Placer pursuant to authority conferred by Or to the recordation thereof by its duly authorized agent.	ocepted by the undersigned agent on behalf of the Board of Supervisors rdinance 5152-B, adopted on January 15, 2002, and the Grantee consents	
SIGNATURE	Completed By (Type or Print)	
Dated:		
ACCEPTANCE (2): BY BOARD OF SUPERVISO This is to certify that the interest in real property conveyed by	PRS: y the deed or grant deed dated, from	
	cepted by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Placer pursuant to authorite adopted on, and the Grantee consent	
Dated:		
	Chairman, Board of Supervisors of the County of Placer	

#### EXHIBIT "A"

All that portion of land described in the Grant Deed to the City of Auburn dated March 6, 1963 recorded in Book 954 at Page 240, Official Records of Placer County located in Section 17, Township 12 North, Range 8 East, M.D.M., Placer County, State of California included within the following described lines:

Beginning at a point from which the East ¼ Corner of said Section 17 bears North 78°41'57" East a distance of 1361.84 feet, thence from said Point of Beginning along the following eleven (11) courses:

- 1. South 10°03'58" East a distance of 50.49 feet
- 2. South 86°21'43" West a distance of 283.05 feet
- 3. South 89°59'14" West a distance of 303.21 feet
- 4. South 73°39'20" West a distance of 24.90 feet
- 5. South 87°02'32" West a distance of 58.78 feet
- 6. North 12°33'47" West a distance of 47.00 feet
- 7. North 73°21'10" East a distance of 175.54 feet
- 8. North 89°31'46" East a distance of 230.80 feet
- 9. South 79°14'13" East a distance of 65.04 feet
- 10. South 81°11'27" East a distance of 100.03 feet
- 11. North 86°11'29" East a distance of 108.20 feet to the Point of Beginning.

End of description.

The meridian of this description is identical to that of Record of Survey No. 1936, recorded in Book 15 of Surveys at Page 13, Official Records of Placer County.

Project Name: Wise Road Bridge Replacement

2-20-09

## APN: 040-111-048

#### RIGHT-OF-WAY CONTRACT DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS COUNTY OF PLACER

When recorded return to Placer County Department of Public Works Design/Construction Division

Space above for Recorder

### City of Auburn, A Municipal Corporation,

**GRANTOR:** 

A Highway Easement, covering the property particularly described in the attached document, has been executed and delivered to John P. Weber, Right-of-Way Agent for the Department of Public Works, County of Placer.

In consideration of which, and the other considerations hereinafter set forth, it is mutually agreed as follows:

I. The parties have herein set forth the whole of their agreement. The performance of this agreement constitutes the entire consideration for said document and shall relieve the County of all further obligation or claims on this account, or on account of the location, grade or construction of the proposed public improvement.

# 2. The County shall:

- A. Pay the undersigned Grantors the sum of \$ 64,800.00 for the property or interest conveyed by above document when title to said property vests in the County free and clear of all liens, encumbrances, assessments, easements and leases (recorded and/or unrecorded), and taxes, except:
  - (i.) Taxes for the fiscal year in which this escrow closes which shall be cleared and paid in the manner required by Section 5086 of the Revenue and Taxation Code, if unpaid at the close of escrow.
  - (ii.) Covenants, conditions, restrictions and reservations of record, or contained in the above referenced document.
  - (iii.) Easements or rights of way over said land for public or quasi-public utility or public street purposes, if any.

#### B. TITLE COMPANY - FEES

Pay all escrow and recording fees incurred in this transaction and, if title insurance is desired by the County, the premium charged therefor.

Placer Title Company – Escrow No. 102-30583. Escrow Officer Maria McCall – (530) 885-7722.

#### C. <u>TAXES, ASSESSMENTS, BONDS</u>

Have the authority to deduct and pay from the amount shown in Clause 2(A) above, any amount necessary to satisfy any delinquent taxes, on the total property or portion thereof subject to this contract, due in any fiscal year except the fiscal year in which this escrow closes, together with penalties and interest thereon, and/or delinquent or non-delinquent assessments or bonds except those which title is to be taken subject to in accordance with the terms of this contract.

If the property acquired pursuant to this contract comprises a portion only of a large parcel on which delinquencies of taxes or assessments exist, such delinquencies shall be segregated to determine the proper amount to be paid pursuant to this section.

It is agreed between the parties hereto that the County in acquiring title subject to unpaid assessments, as set forth herein, is not assuming responsibility for payment or subsequent cancellation of such assessments. The assessments remain the obligation of the Grantor; and, as between the County and the grantor, no contractual obligation has been made requiring their payment. Payment for the property acquired under this transaction is made upon the basis that the Grantor retains his obligation to the levying body respecting said assessments.

# D. MORTGAGES, DEEDS OF TRUST

Any or all moneys payable under this contract, up to and including the total amount of unpaid principal and interest on note(s) secured by mortgage(s) or deed(s) of trust, if any, and all other amounts due and payable in accordance with the terms and conditions of said trust deed(s) or mortgage(s) shall, upon demand(s) be made payable to the mortgagee(s) or beneficiary(s) to furnish Grantor with good and sufficient receipt showing said moneys credited against the indebtedness secured by said mortgage(s) or deed(s) of trust.

#### 3. CONTRACT WORK

#### A. COMPLIANCE

All work done under this agreement shall conform to all applicable building, fire and sanitary laws, ordinances, and regulations relating to such work, and shall be done in a good and workmanlike manner. All structures, improvements or other facilities, when removed, and relocated, or reconstructed by the County shall be left in as good condition as found.

#### B. RIGHT OF ENTRY

Permission is hereby granted Placer County, or its authorized contractor, to enter Grantor's property, where necessary, to construct the proposed bridge improvements as designed. Additionally, permission is granted Placer County, or its authorized contractor, to enter Grantor's property for a period of 3 years to maintain or replace landscaping adjacent to North Ravine planted as a part of this project.

#### C. INDEMNIFICATION

The County of Placer shall indemnify, defend and hold Grantor harmless against any liabilities, claims, demands, damages and costs incident to or arising from the exercise by Grantee, its agents, employees and contractors of the rights granted in this agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have	executed t	this agreement on the
day of	, 2009.	
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		City of Auburn
ACCEPTANCE BY BOARD OF SUPERVIS	ORS	
Date	Ву	Chairman

-NO OBLIGATION OTHER THAN THOSE SET FORTH HEREIN WILL BE RECOGNIZED-



